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Re:    Application of:                      **Helmut BUCKSCH**

         Serial No.:                      10/825,263

         Filed:                      04/15/2004

         For:                      **CONTAINER WITH A DEVICE FOR  
INDICATING A TOTAL FILLING  
QUANTITY**

         Customer No.:                      23280

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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, Applicants hereby make of record the documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (1 page) for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. While the references are being submitted herewith, some or all of the references may not constitute prior art under the U.S. patent laws.

A fee of \$180.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (p) for submission of an Information Disclosure Statement is submitted herewith. If any additional fees are deemed to be due at this time, the

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It is respectfully requested that the references cited in the accompanying PTO-1449 form be considered and made of record. It is respectfully submitted that the pending claims are patentable over all of the references made of record at this time.

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						YES	NO
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## OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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